Some Thoughts On Conservation

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Too frequently in the past the concept of conservation has been associated solely with the idea of setting aside suitable areas to preserve particular natural resources for the use and enjoyment of future generations. It is important that the singular and limited interpretation of conservation persists in the minds of many people even today.

Dynamic Approach

No one will argue with the fact that there are certain naturalistic phenomena such as aged stands of virgin pine, the much publicized whooping cranes that have been reduced to dangerously low levels and such awe-inspiring wonders as the Petrified Forest of the State of Arizona, that need to be protected entirely from the woodsman's saw, the hunter's gun and the pick and hammer of the mineralogist. Also, there is no argument with the fact that had some semblance of a protection policy been adopted by our forefathers, the annihilation of the passenger pigeon and the near depletion of the buffalo might well have been prevented.

Nonetheless, in line with current advancements in thinking in all fields of science and technology, a much more dynamic approach to the overall management of our natural resources has become firmly established, which is logically based on a policy of WISE USE.

Game Preserves

The efforts of conservationists are now directed towards maintaining the maximum use of the greatest number of natural resources that will contribute to the greatest public welfare for the longest duration of time. As an example, game preserves are not nearly so popular as they once were, although it must be admitted they do have their value in particular situations.

There is little sense in restricting hunting over a large area if numbers of deer or other game animals will increase to the point where the available food supply will not support the population.

It is more sensible to harvest the surplus population and maintain a production of vigorous animals that will be free from the ravages of malnutrition and disease.

Long Term Benefits

Indeed, we have learned some valuable lessons in resource management and with the 'wise use' concept we appear to be on the right road.

However, we cannot afford to be complacent since, we are faced with increasingly complex problems in the optimum maintenance of our renewable natural resources — our soils, waters, forests, wildlife and most important of all our human population. Are we willing to forego immediate gains in our agricultural and industrial efforts in order to reap the long-term benefits that wise use invariably provides? With respect to water pollution — while much has been accomplished here in Ontario are we willing to accept the costs of achieving increasingly expensive objectives that will forestall the continuing deterioration of our lakes and streams? Will our Conservation Authorities receive the support they need to acquire public land along river valleys so that sound erosion and flood control measures may be implemented? Will the necessary cooperation among local Conservation Authorities and other provincial agencies materialize so that our watercourses may be restored to a high level of usefulness in meeting the recreational needs of a growing population?

Should Contribute

Conservationists must know what they want and must make their wants known so that government, industry, social organizations and the ordinary citizen will join together in a common effort to ensure that wise use and consistent progress in resource management will prevail?

If public apathy is not replaced with public awareness that continues as a vital force, tired museum pieces may eventually have to be used to demonstrate to future generations what a wonderful, outdoor heritage we once possessed. Every one of us should know exactly what conservation means and should be prepared in some way to contribute to the furtherance of sound conservation principals and programs.

SPORTS CAR BURIED IN SNOW BANK

The sports car of Milton resident, Jim Bailey was cushioned to a soft stop and almost totally submerged in a snow drift Thursday.

The vehicle veered off No. 10 Sideroad after being involved in a minor accident in heavy snow. Damages were slight.

According to constable William Patterson, who was first on the scene, there was barely more than tire marks to indicate the car was in the snowbank.

Mr. Bailey spent close to an hour uncovering the car by snow shovel before getting it on the road.

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25 EXTRA STAMPS	WITH COUPON & PURCHASE OF ONE 3-LB. OR 72-OZ. PKG. QUICK or INSTANT ROBIN HOOD OATS — COUPON EXPIRES FEB. 10
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